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Jesse J. Finley is No More
Lake City, Fla., Nov. 7.—Gen. Jesse J. Finley, one of the most beloved citizens of Florida and a distinguished soldier in the Confederacy, died yesterday at the home of his son, Charles A. Finley, in this city. Gen. Finley, had he lived until Friday of next week, would have reached the ripe old age of 92 years. The body of the distinguished old soldier was shipped today to Gainesville, where it will be buried by the side of his wife.

The name of Jesse J. Finley will live in Florida history. To such men as George F. Drew, W. D. Bloxham and Gen. Finley belong the credit of restoring Florida to Democratic rule, and their work in the reconstruction period is still discussed on the public platform. Gen. Finley never sought political office or military advancement, but his talents were of such an eminent nature that he was forced to the forefront, and how well he performed the duties that devolved upon him is best attested by the history of the State.

Proceedings of School Board.
Board met pursuant to adjournment. Full board was present. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved. A heater was ordered for Simon school; continuation of Live Oak school was ordered and the superintendent was instructed to supply a teacher.

Settlement with the treasurer showed receipts \$462.14; expenditures \$459.96, cash on hand \$2.18. The board adjourned to meet first Tuesday in December.

J. A. HUGHES,
Secretary.

W. J. BLANTON,
Chairman.

The citizens of Bartow raised \$8,000 in a few minutes one night last week for the purpose of completing their new brick hotel.



NAPOLEON B. BROWARD.
Governor-Elect of Florida.
1905-1909

NOTICE!
Closing out sale of T. J. Blalock at my residence, 8 miles North of Madison, on the 23rd of November, we will sell to the highest bidder for cash one 30-horse boiler and 15-horse engine with shafting, gins and press; 20 head cattle, 1 horse, 2 mules and 15 head hogs, 500 bushels corn and 4000 lbs fodder; one cane mill kettle and fixtures, plantation tools, plows, hoes, etc., also some household and kitchen furniture. 9-27-4t.

Florida was saved from the cyclone, at least.

FOR SALE.
Two acre lot with new three-room house, situated in desirable resident part of town, near homes of R. D. Rowe and D. G. Smith.
Also, six acres of land in pecan trees adjoining the above.
Will sell together or separately.
O1 6 tf RANDALL POPE.

The Postal Telegraph Co. has brought suit in Duval county to compel the A. C. L. R. R. to allow it to erect poles and wires along its right of way.

Republicans Triumphant.

Roosevelt Elected President by An Overwhelming Vote—A Landslide for the G. O. P.—Florida Safely Democratic—Holloway Elected by Big Majority—Stanton Defeats Dickinson for Sheriff.

It was a Waterloo for Judge Parker and the Democratic party of the nation. The election of President Roosevelt was conceded by the Democrats early Tuesday night and Judge Parker, the democratic nominee, telegraphed his congratulations to Roosevelt, his successful opponent. While it has not yet been calculated to a certainty it is known that Roosevelt will have more than 300 votes in the Electoral College, and Parker will have to be satisfied with the vote of the solid South even if he gets that. Missouri, Maryland and Kentucky are all in the doubtful column.

Florida will give the usual democratic majority but the returns are slow in coming in owing to the great length of the ticket. Indications are that Holloway defeats Wolfe for State Superintendent by large majority.

Up to 10 o'clock yesterday morning no returns had been received from our county precincts. In Madison precinct the inspectors had not finished the count. All indications point to the election of Stanton, Sheriff, by big majority, and it is pretty certain that the county supported Holloway for Superintendent.

Among other things Marion county will soon be noted for its production of hay. Its hay crop this year, says the Banner, is something prodigious.

The orange crop of Florida is now estimated at two million boxes and the prices obtained range from \$1.40 to \$1.65 f. o. b. So says a correspondent in the New York Packer.

Forty Acres Land For Sale

Forty acres of land, high and dry, just outside of corporation, about half of the forty cleared and other half good pine timber. A fine location in splendid neighborhood.
10-6 tf RANDALL POPE.

RUN-OVER LOCALS.

Davis, the jeweler, has moved his place of business one door north, that is to say he has moved out of Barrett's store and now does business in the store of L. H. Patterson where he will be pleased to see his friends and patrons.

Everybody should be happy when Christmas comes for there are gifts in town to suit all purses and conditions. Madison has always had a fine line of holiday goods to select presents from, but this year the dealers in such goods have exceeded themselves and the display is both beautiful and varied.

His many friends were delighted to have with them last Friday and Saturday Mr. A. H. West, now of Jacksonville. This was the first visit of Mr. West to Madison since his marriage and trip to Europe and he was the recipient of many and hearty congratulations. He is in splendid health which was an additional pleasure to his friends.

The friends of Miss Julia Streety will be pleased to learn that her services to the Western Union Telegraph Company are appreciated by that great corporation. She has recently received a promotion to the charge of the office at Moultrie, Ga., and left Tuesday for that town. We very much regret to lose Miss Julia but congratulate her upon her promotion.

The professional men of Madison embracing lawyers, doctors and dentists, have concluded that the dignity of their several professions demand that they clothe themselves in a different manner than the common run of mankind, so very soon you will see these gentlemen arrayed in the glory of silk hats and Prince Albert coats and you will experience no difficulty then in distinguishing them from plain everyday citizens.

We direct attention of our readers to the advertisement of R. W. Painter which appears on the first page of this paper. Mr. Painter is in the market for vast quantities of roots and barks of various kinds and will pay good prices for them. Read the advertisement and then write him for particulars as to how to gather the roots and barks and how to ship same when gathered. There is a good chance to make some extra money, and our people should take advantage of it.

Notice.

I will be at Cherry Lake from the sixteenth to the twenty-second of this month. Anyone needing dental work will find me at my father's.
Respectfully,
L. F. BLALOCK.

A. S. Mann wants road making machines sent to Florida. Just dump one at this point for a short while. Mr. Mann.—Apalachicola Times.

The Place for The Trader to Go is To

J. W. BARRETT

WHO HAS A LARGE STOCK OF

Dry Goods, Groceries Boots and Shoes

Which must be sold. Here are some Prices that will astonish and please you.

Old Lady's Comfort shoes \$1 per pr	Prints from 4 cts to 5 1/2 cts per yard.
Women's everyday shoes \$1 per pr	Outings from 5 1/2 cts to 10 cts per yd.
Men's Shoes \$1 per pr	White and Check Homespun 5 1/2 and 6 cts per yard.
Children's Shoes 25c to \$1.25 per pr	Men's pants from 50 cts to \$3.00 per pr
Hosiery for men and women from 5 cts to 25 cents per pair.	Men's Suits \$10.00.
Bats for Men and Boys from 25 cts to \$2.00.	Men's Underwear 75 cents per suit.

A full and complete line of fresh, Staple and Family Groceries always on hand. We can supply your wants in this line and at prices as LOW AS THE LOWEST.

MADISON, FLORIDA.

BEASLEY OLD STAND,

WANTED AT ONCE Queen's Delight Root, Blue Flag Root, Maypop Vine, Prickly Ash Bark and Berries, Saw Palmetto Berries, Yellow Jessamine Root, Jerusalem Oak Seed and Deer Tongue Leaves. Spot cash on receipt of shipments. Write me for further particulars. Price list and shipping tags furnished on application.
Oct 6, 1m
R. W. PAINTER
JACKSONVILLE, FLA.

Notice.
All persons are hereby forbidden to hunt, fish or otherwise trespass on any of my lands, inclosed or not inclosed. 10-6-5m.

WEST BROS.
E. E. WEST.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I beg to announce to my friends and patrons that my line of **HOLIDAY GOODS** is now complete with a varied stock to satisfy your every want in gifts for the Holiday or anniversary.

A choice and magnificent display of Silverware, China and Japanese Ware, Pictures and Frames, Jewelry, the finest Perfumes, Leather Goods, Cut Glass pieces and other articles of use and ornament.

In Toys for the Children we have Mechanical novelties, hobby horses, wagons vehicles, dolls, doll carriages, music boxes and a thousand and one other things to bring happiness to the hearts of the little folk.

You are cordially invited to visit my place and make your selection of gifts. Goods purchased now will be put aside for future delivery if desired. Respectfully,

D. G. Smith.